## SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSURE PROCEEDINGS

RE: DOUGLAS MULLINS, LPN

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

Virginia License No. PN000266157 Nurse Licensure Compact Privilege in SD

Licensee.

TO: Douglas Mullins 420 N. Eighth St.

Akron, IA 51001

The South Dakota Board of Nursing ("Board") met in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, for its regular meeting on February 17, 2017. At that meeting the Board was advised of a complaint alleging two reported events of swearing at residents that were entrusted to your care, and your failure to contact the Board during business hours to discuss the complaint.

Based on the information provided to the Board, the Board has determined that your conduct is in violation of its policy as well as SDCL § 36-9-49(10) in that you engaged in unprofessional conduct.

Therefore, the Board, according to the disciplinary procedures outlined in ARSD 20:48:08, issues this Letter of Reprimand.

This final action is reportable discipline and will be published in the Board's newsletter, posted on its website, and reported into the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB) as required

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Letter of Reprimand Licensee: Douglas Mullins, LPN

by law. As this is a reportable discipline, you are required to provide an affirmative response to inquiries of disciplinary action on further renewals and other nursing related inquiries.

Dated this 23 day of February, 2017.

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

Gloria Damgaard, RN, MS

**Executive Director**